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GOLD BULLION.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—There is at present forty-five million dollars worth of gold bullion in the New York office ready to be transported to the Philadelphia mint for coinage. The appropriation made for this purpose for the present fiscal year was but $50 000 which is already exhausted, but the director of the mint had made application for more money for this purpose.

IMPORTANT LETTER FROM CLARENCE KING.

Senator Davis, of West Virginia, chairman of the committee on appropriations, presented to the senate to-day a letter received by him from Clarence King, director of the geological survey, to be printed in connection with the house joint resolution proposing to authorize the extension of the geological survey which was reported to the senate yesterday. The communication is a reply to several inquiries made by Senator Davis in regard to the geological survey.

The first question to which he makes replies is to is whether, under the provisions of the sundry civil act referred to in the joint resolution, he would be able to make a survey which will show the mineral resources of the whole country. King says the act referred to created the office called director of the geological survey, and provided that he should take charge of the survey of the mineral resources of the national domain, a term which is held by the department of interior to signify the public lands. He says it is impossible to make a geological survey or general investigation and exposition of the mineral resources of the whole country owing to the fact that all developed mineral lands are held in private or corporate ownership which are no longer on the national domain and are hence out of the field of enquiry, and nearly every undeveloped mineral resources, when considered from a broad point of view, are off the list. The iron and coal lands of the United States will be partly in old states far from public land and partly on the public lands, and any attempt to grasp the problem of iron and coal concerning their amounts of national wealth, any effort to render aid in their development must result in signal failure if confined to the public land. Without the passage of some law extending the field of geological survey to the whole United States the people, Mr. King says, must remain ignorant of these mineral possessions.

In reply to the question whether the government survey has any advantages over the state, Mr. King says geology unless worked upon the broad principles of precise and exhaustive knowledge of special deposits is useless, the value of the deposits in one state may depend on the chemical fact of the deposit in a remote state. Virginia iron ore may be only of value when mixed with New Jersey ore; but the practical states are not keeping up their survey. Few states have lately made re surveys. To-day there are not eight active surveys. Single states have not maintained and probably could not afford an effective laboratory for mineral investigation, and the government's survey would receive for the whole country after seventeen years of continuous survey on state and government surveys. I am firmly of the belief that the mineral wealth of the country never will be reasonably well known till studied by the national survey. The bill before the house, authorizing the director of the geological surveys to extend his examination into the states to enable him to give better and more thorough and complete examination, and report as to the formation, quantity, and quality of the mineral resources of the whole country. It is understood with the passage of the law under consideration, the geological commission will be free to survey over the whole of the United States, and study its whole economical geological survey. To-day the government and people do not know within $100,000,000 of the value of the mineral product.

Pacific Mail and Railroad Compromise.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—The negotiations between the Pacific Mail Steamship company and the Overland Railroads, resulted in the completion of a contract by the several companies. This was signed to day by C. P. Huntington in behalf of the Central Pacific, Sidney Dillon for the Union Pacific and John Riley for the Steamship Company. The agreement is to continue five years and under its terms the railroad companies guarantee to the Pacific Mail a business of $110,000 a month on through traffic. Steamships are to be run every fortnight and the railroad companies agree to pay for carrying 600 tons of freight. It is provided also that the contract shall be terminated only in event of the completion of the competing line of railroad, and then after ninety days' notice.

Shipping Grain.

CHICAGO, March 5. The grain problem is still a subject of much interest and discussion and all phases are as eagerly watched by the farmers as by speculators. To day grain to New York is fourteen cents by water, as the straits are already practically open. This departure bids fair to start the grain east by the lake and to lower railroad rates to the prevailing rates. Grain is moving east over the raise. A vessel man who generally draws his conclusions with precision and who claims to have evidence on the points, claims the railroad trunk line managers have a goodly interest in grain, which is missed in Chicago and Milwaukee, and that they are constantly getting more and more short in principal trunk stocks, which have now all reached unprecedented high prices; that they do not intend to reduce rates for transportation east until navigation opens, knowing the low rates will then attract most of the grain east by water, that the falling off in earnings then will produce a heavy decline in stock, possibly a panic, and in the general demoralization that will ensue there will be a railroad war of tremendous proportions. Rates will be cut to a very low figure, the Grand Trunk being made the scapegoat, and the grain may then be carried east for a nominal figure. The managers will then reap a double harvest. They will pull in large profits from their shorts in stocks, and will realize from advance in grain, which is always consequent on low rates of transportation.

Whether this is correct as to the interest of the managers, it is certainly plausible and will be very likely to work as outlined. The confidence of farmers in the strength of the clique, the abundance of money and needs of Europe which are well advertised and more fully known than usual, will end in reducing transportation and bring about better prices always assuming they are not more obstinate in England in demanding reduced prices, than the speculators of America are in demanding advances.

Wind Storm.

CLEVELAND, March 5.—A wind and rain storm struck the city with tremendous force at 1:20 this morning, doing great damage to fences, signs, &c. Several small buildings were wrecked. Julius Brown, a workman in the wire mill of the Rolling Mill Company, and several others were injured.

CHICAGO, March 5. A terrific wind, rain, and thunder storm has been prevailing in the east, and the wires were prostrated in every direction. The wind amounted to a tornado. The damage was comparatively small, and only a few lives are known to be lost.

At Indianapolis the Central Methodist Church was almost demolished. One dwelling house was carried six feet. Two or three persons were injured. The damage was serious.

At Toledo the chimney of the Buckeye Brewery was crushed down into the engine house, killing John Hasse and M. K. Doyle, who had taken refuge there, and seriously injuring the night watchman. The wind began to blow at 11 o'clock. Fences, roofs, signs, telegraph wires, etc., suffered most.

Failure of Wheat Crop in Wisconsin.

MILWAUKEE, March 5. The Sentinel's Wyanecone, Wisconsin, special says the entire winter wheat crop of that section will be a failure, caused by the frequent freezing and thawing. Most of the farmers are plowing it up.

Honoring Colorado.

ST. LOUIS, March 5. C. M. Beckwith, of Colorado, heads the executive committee appointed by the greenbackers' national convention in session here. Brick Pomeroy was a member at large.

Theodore Thomas' Resignation.

CINCINNATI, March 5. The board of directors of the college of music read Theodore Thomas' resignation in which he criticises them, and suggests that his resignation take effect before October 1st, the date fixed by him. The resignation was accepted.

Another Injunction.

KANSAS CITY, March 5. An injunction was issued to-day by Judge Cowan in favor of the Western Union telegraph against the Union & Kansas Pacific railways.

FOREIGN.

Affairs in Russia

ST. PETERSBURG, March 5.—Melodizky who tried to kill Melikoff says he acted from orders and principle.

PARIS, March 5.—The irreconcilable journals publish what purports to be the manifesto of the Russian executive committee, justifying the plot against the czar which resulted in the explosion in the winter palace. The manifesto expresses regret at the death of the unfortunate soldiers in the palace at the time of the explosion. It says, the revolution is forced in Russia by the government's repression of intellectual development, and that the struggle will continue till the czar abdicates. We will triumph at all costs.

The Russian ambassador has assured the French government its decision in the matter of the surrender of Hartman, whatever it may be, it will not affect the relations of France and Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 5.—Gen. Melikoff Wednesday afternoon ordered the court martial Thursday morning, and the trial began at eleven that day. The prisoner was insolent and refused to stand up or take any part in the proceedings. He said he had nothing to add to what he had already told; that he did not want to be troubled any more. Depositions were then read and the prisoner was withdrawn while the court deliberated. He was brought back at one o'clock when judgment was pronounced.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 4.—Melodizky was brought to day from the fortress to the place of execution, strapped in a sitting posture on a black vehicle, with his back to the horse. A placard bearing the words "state criminal" was attached to his breast. A company of Cossacks formed the escort to the scaffold, surrounded by infantry, drawn up in a square. On the way to the scaffold and after reaching it, Melodizky was quite calm. After the sentence had been read he turned and bowed on all sides to the people. Just before being delivered to the hangman he said a few words to the priest. The execution took place in the presence of a large number of people.

The police arrested seven men in the crowd, having the appearance of students. They were taken to the fortress.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 5.—It is said the seven men taken into custody by the police at the execution of Modetzky were arrested for saying that though the present attempt failed another would succeed.

Asking for Independence.

BERLIN, March 5.—The population of Finland are manifesting a desire for independence. The movement is believed to be a serious one, and founded on a widespread national feeling.

Germany and Russia.

BERLIN, March 5 The czar in his letter to the emperor, William, states that the emperor's letter of congratulation has produced a most intense satisfaction in St. Petersburg.

Attempt to Wreck a Train.

ST. JOHNS, N. B., March 5.—An unsuccessful attempt to wreck an express train going north was made on the International road last night near Weldford.

Believing Bismarck.

BERLIN, March 5. With a view to affording Bismarck further relief from his arduous duties, Count Von Stolberg, vice president of the council of ministers, will be appointed the Prussian premier.

French Courtesy.

PARIS, March 5.—It is said that the government here will be officially invited by the Washington cabinet to be represented at the celebration of the surrender at Yorktown. A crack regiment from the French army and a fleet of our finest war vessels will be sent to Yorktown to do honor to the occasion.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Cable dispatch reports a panic at Berlin.

The Ohio & Missouri was up to 40¼ to-day, the highest price in years.

Starch manufacturers raised the price ½ a cent higher per pound yesterday.

The governor of Virginia has vetoed the Relleberger bill as leading to repudiation.

The new republican state committee organized yesterday. Chesters A. Arthur was elected chairman.

The steamship Massachusetts, from Boston to Liverpool, lost seventy cattle overboard during the voyage.

A boiler exploded in Glascow, Illinois, yesterday. Six persons were killed and three severely injured.

In the French senate yesterday Ferry declared the society of Jesus was a conspiracy against the state.

James Redpath, the New York Tribune's Ireland special correspondent, writes that the famine danger seems to be past.

There was an explosion at shaft number two East Nanticoke yesterday. Eight men are still in the mine and supposed to be killed by foul air.

Royal B. Conant, ex-cashier of the Elliott National bank, Boston, convicted of embezzlement, has been sentenced to seven years imprisonment.

The democratic state central committee of Tennessee has called the convention for June 8th. The committee stands nine for Bayard, two for Seymour, and one for Tilden.

A New York special says the seeds and discord sown at Utica are springing up in the Fourth ward association, and the republicans of Bergen, N. J., passed anti Grant resolutions yesterday.

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sell at public auction, at the north end of said road, the property mentioned in said mortgages, to wit: The Crystal City and Pike's Peak Wagon and Trail Road, with all its rights, privileges, and franchises, to the highest and best bidder for cash, and shall apply the proceeds thereof in the payment or part payment of said notes.

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Grant must get an endorsement from Illinois to receive the nomination.

The citizen of Colorado who deserves most praise for the success of the negotiations looking to the removal of the Utes is General Charles Adams.

Notwithstanding Secretary Schurz has been successful in securing the removal of the Utes, he gets no credit for his work from our state press. The credit has all been given to those that have opposed the negotiations.

We have received a copy of the life and public services of Secretary Sherman, prepared by Ben Perley Poore. It is calculated to have an excellent effect as a campaign document. The book gives a clear, concise account of Sherman's public services, and is marked by an utter absence of that fulsome eulogy which such pamphlets usually contain. The book is published by the Sherman club of Cincinnati.

Who besides Pitkin can be nominated for governor? The Colorado Springs GAZETTE please answer. *Leadville Herald.*

The GAZETTE will be very well pleased with the nomination of Governor Pitkin. The only issue we have had with him has been on the Indian question. We have heartily approved of the rest of his administration, and now the difference on the Indian question has disappeared since Governor Pitkin has approved of Secretary Schurz's policy, and admitted the danger at Ouray was overestimated.

The Denver *Republican* says: "to go to the extent of putting up a candidate whose nomination amounts to an abandonment of the party's principles, is as ruinous in policy, as it is bad in morals." Very true. But the *Republican* immediately begins after uttering this, to advocate the nomination by the republicans of General Grant for the presidency, a man who has never voted the republican ticket, and cries down Sherman who has been identified with all the great republican war, reconstruction, and financial legislation, and voted with the republican party in 1856, when Grant voted the democratic ticket.

It is very amusing to see the friends of Pitkin and Teller claim the glory of the peace negotiations conducted by Secretary Schurz. The first opposed them until he went to Washington, claiming that nothing could be done to settle the question by peace negotiations. The latter insisted that the negotiations should be conducted on the basis that the Indian had forfeited all treaty rights. It was found impossible to even get his bill embodying this reported to the house, and Secretary Schurz has been successful in treating with the Utes by going contrary to Senator Teller's advice. After all the vilification Schurz has endured from Colorado politicians and papers for persistently carrying out a policy which experience has shown to be the wisest, it is the height of audacity for them to claim the glory of the success of his policy.

The Ouray *Times* says in answer to our remark that if Ouray was in so much danger, it is strange that its papers do not distantly hint of the fact, that it did not speak of the danger publicly because it would do no good. It preferred to use petitions. We accept the explanation. Our remark was based on the assumption that the Ouray *Times* and *Solid Muldoon* were *news*papers. We suppose that if Ouray was in danger of starvation it was a good item of news; also it would be interesting to the people of the state generally to know the Indians were stealing the freight which was being carried into Ouray, and were outraging the outlying settlements. But as the Ouray *Times* does not consider this within its province, we have nothing more to say. As to the alleged charge of our having misrepresented the petition, we will call attention to the following dispatch received by all the papers in the country publishing the associated press dispatches:

WASHINGTON, February 3. Yesterday, Senator Teller, Governor Pitkin, and State Senator Peck, of Colorado, called upon Secretary Sherman and the secretary of war, and laid before them a petition from the citizens of Ouray, and other towns in Colorado, asking for military protection from the Indians.

The signers of this petition represent about five hundred families, who are in a very embarrassing and dangerous situation. Hostile Ute Indians are encamped between them and civilization, and will not permit the passage of any wagons containing supplies. Food in these towns is becoming very scarce, and, unless relief and protection is at once sent, they either will perish from hunger, or if they attempt to pass the hostile camps, they are in danger of their lives. While these white people are suffering from the wants of food, they complain that the Indians are being well fed by the government, and that, not satisfied with this, they seize and and appropriate everything in the way of food sent to the settlements. This petition which sets forth at length and in detail this wretched condition of affairs, was sent to Governor Pitkin at Denver, and forwarded to him. Secretary Ramsey and General Sherman both expressed great anxiety to do something for the aid of these people, but they could not send any soldiers there, as it would be considered as a violation of the *de facto quo* understanding which Secretary Schurz has with the Indians. General Sherman said that if he could have his way, troops should go right in there, but he was held back, and the only person who could give relief was the president. The same gentleman, with the rest of the Colorado delegation, have an appointment with the president, and will make an appeal to him.

The petition we did not read, and we based our criticisms entirely on the above telegraphic summary and we may add we were always careful to state this fact. This telegram was published in every daily paper in the state, as well as out of the state, and must have been read by the editors of the *Times* and *Muldoon* and yet they did not question its accuracy. Interviews in eastern papers with Governor Pitkin, particularly the one in the New York *Times*, show that whatever the petition contained the public impression was that it contained what was alleged in the dispatch. If Messrs. Theron Stevens and M. S. Corbett had telegraphed to Washington that the dispatch we published above was an "unvarnished lie" as the *Times* now calls it there would have been no mistake. It strikes us however that certain people in Ouray were willing to have these "unvarnished lies" circulated in Washington or else they would have contradicted them as they were careful to contradict other misstatements of very much less importance.

For Teller.

The *News* says that Teller will make an effort to be his own successor. It would cause either party a deal of trouble to fill the place more acceptably. Colorado has reason to be proud of Senator Teller. *Leadville Chronicle.*

Need of Chinese.

The editor of the *News* writes geologically and learnedly on placer mines and mining, but is opposed to the Chinese, forgetting that the success of the one very often implies the use of the other. *Golden Transcript.*

Right to Bolt.

The right to bolt, however, is confined to those who are now seeking office. A man who submits his name to a party convention binds himself to abide by its decisions, and waives his right to exercise his privilege of bolting at the election. *Leadville Herald.*

A Question.

The *Courier* would respectfully ask the Denver *Republican* to define Grant's position on the silver question. As the leader of the Grant movement in Colorado, it should do this as a matter of justice to the silver miners of the state. The same question is also extended to the *Times* and *Herald* of Leadville. *Georgetown Courier.*

Worth Remembering.

The *Register Call* says that George William Curtis couldn't carry his own district. Last fall George William Curtis resigned, by request, the chairmanship of the republican committee in his district, but it didn't prevent 35,000 "noble scratchers" from scratching Cornell's name from their ballots. *Georgetown Courier.*

Amen.

The Pueblo *Democrat* may rest assured that when the proper time comes there will be no differences between the *Register-Call* and the Colorado Springs GAZETTE, or any other republican paper in the state. What quarreling we may have to do will be done before the state convention. Then you will see the lion and lamb lie down in peace together. *Register-Call.*

Northern Yazooism.

Yazooism has broken out in Hancock county, Indiana, where the democrats have undertaken to make it hot for the few negroes who lately arrived from the south, and for all who have aided or befriended them. Notices have been posted throughout the county warning people from employing the blacks, on pain of the destruction of their property. One man, who hired some of the negroes, had his barn burned a few nights later. Another, who let a house to them, received warning letters. The Indiana democracy is aroused. *Cincinnati Gazette.*

Better Leadership.

Senator Conkling is reported as saying: "Grant is the only man the republican party can be sure to elect, and he is the only man that is sure to take his seat if elected. The democrats do not intend that we shall seat our president if we elect him. This is the last time we elect a president under the present census. Let the democrats be in power when the new census goes into effect and under their manipulations they will hold it for at least a decade." If Senator Conkling is correctly reported in this, we must take leave to say we think it an indiscreet utterance. It is not the part of a wise leader or a shrewd politician to announce in advance that his party can only succeed under one leader. That virtually gives up the contest, except in one contingency. We like better the leadership which declares that the republican party can and must win, no matter who the nominee may be. That is the kind of republicans we are in Indiana. *Indianapolis Journal.*

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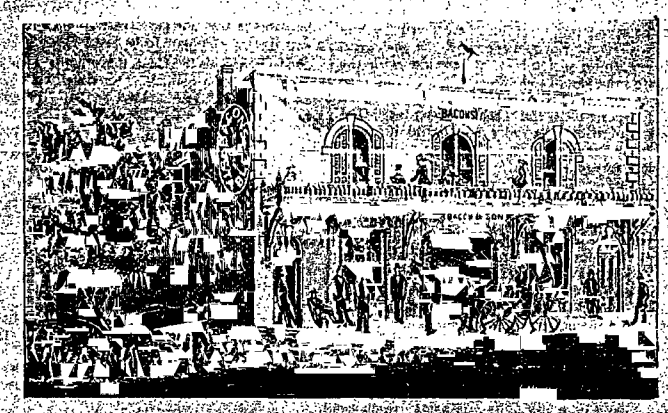

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SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 1880.

The Modern Mining Engineer.

(Read at the recent dinner of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, and written by Dr J. C. Hayles, editor of *The Iron Age*.)

I know our carboniferous King Coal and Thomas Anthracite,
I know the points of difference 'twixt specular and hematite;
I quote in high toned phrases, and disdain to use tautology,
And sing the toughest passages in "Dana's Mineralogy;"
I tell undoubted crystals from anhydrous clays or cobble stones;
I've learned the different systems, and I've studied Claiborne fossil bones;
I know the thermic units of the melting point of Franklinite;
Can tell a modern pollywog from saurian or troglodyte;
I'm posted on the theory and practice of biology—
But I'm just a trifle weak upon the nice points of theology.
In fact, in matters vegetable, animal, and mineral,
I am a very model of a scientist in general.

I know some cheerful facts about deposits argentiferous;
I've made myself authority on treating ores auriferous;
I have a pretty fancy for resilience and tensility—
And when a fee is tendered I can take it with agility
I'm not restrained by modesty from telling what I know about,
And at our meetings thrice a year my facts I freely throw about.
I talk on any subject that the chair declares debatable,
And take delight in formulæ when figures are "equatable."
In fact, in matters practical, tangential, or centrifugal,
I am a very model of an expert scientifical.

I know the average tensile strength of water-gas and CO_2;
Can give the fixed atomic weights of FeO and P. D. Q.;
Can calculate the make and cost of Bessemer or Pernot steel,
Or, tell with a pyrometer how spirits in Inferno feel.
I can manage a blast furnace, and a mighty yield of cinder make,
And for my fuel, coal, or coke, petroleum or tinder take.
I can write a tedious paper on most any thing you choose to name,
And credit for the things I've done it isn't any use to claim.
In short, I'm crammed on every thing, and hope I've made the fact appear
That I'm a very model of a modern mining engineer.

The Russian Revolution and the Czar.

We may be quite sure that if, before this imperial ukase appeared, the officials of the detested "Third Section" of police had lighted on the headquarters of the "Executive Committee of the Revolution," no dilatory forms of law would have stood in the way of an instant descent upon the conspirators, and no pedantry of judicial rules would have enabled one of them to escape Siberia. General Gourko cannot have, and has not, any greater liberty in point of principle than this. His powers are in truth the same as those exercised before by the police; all the difference that the ukase makes is to bring an infinitely larger number of people under their operation, and to encourage the general and his colleagues to exert these powers more rigorously and on the slightest grounds of suspicion. For the Russian people at large the difference in question is an immense and terrible one; but what difference need it necessarily make to the revolutionary organization? Their immunity has hitherto been due to the shortness, not of the arm of the law, but of the vision of the police, and the latter is a defect incurable by imperial ukases. The amazing details published the other day in a German newspaper enable us for the first time to realize the extent of the discomfiture which the "Third Section" have suffered for more than a year from this daring confederacy. Not only do their revolutionary placards appear in the most public places of the capital, but their handbills are scattered everywhere by the same unseen hands. The journal *Land and Liberty* is found in the offices of the civil service, in manufactories, in barracks, in restaurants, in the ministry of the Interior, in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. The Chancellor of State finds it between the leaves of his conservative journal. The sergeant lights upon it folded inside his orderly book. Its editors invite subscriptions to it as coolly as if it were an ordinary journal of "politics, literature and the fine arts" as indeed it is of the "fine art" methodized by De Quincey; we shall hardly be surprised to find them recommending it to the public before long as an "admirable medium for advertisements." There is a ghastly cynicism about the idea that while Mezentzeff was being stabbed to death in St. Petersburg the "artist" of the paper was probably preparing his "block" for the illustration which appeared the following day. *Land and Liberty* passes judgment of life or death; it warns, threatens and pardons; it announces beforehand those who have been condemned in the criminal courts and publishes earlier and more faithful accounts with respect to the condemned than any other journal. When the localities of two of its printing offices are betrayed they are found to be one in an office for shipping dues, the other in an imperial cartridge factory, and the traitor who led the police to them is, three days afterward, found dead in a Moscow hotel with a card pinned to his breast bearing the words, "Executed by command of the committee of the revolution." General Drenteln receives a threatening but misspelt and ungramatical letter, and ridicules its defects in the presence of but half a dozen friends. The next day the threats are repeated in a letter of unimpeachable orthography and grammar, in deference, as the writer's added observations show, to criticisms which have already reached his ears. A confederacy like this must have its agents and sympathizers as widely spread and as highly placed in society as the league conceived by Balzac in the *Historie de Treize*. How the government whom it menaces may most effectually deal with it we do not pretend to say, but it seems almost childish to attack it by such measures as compelling every householder to keep a watchman at his street door, and barbarously clumsy to combat it by sweeping hosts of so-called "suspects" into prison, to be tried by drumhead court martial. For one conspirator whom such measures detect half a dozen new ones are created, while they alienate the loyalty or exacerbate the discontent of thrice as many more.

The Chinese in America.

The most important question in the whole Chinese problem appears to me to be not what is popular but what is inevitable. Lines of ocean transit are shooting across the great oceans. I hold that it is inevitable that American commerce will reach one-quarter of the way around the world, instead of three quarters of the way around it, to obtain the teas and silks of China and Japan. The commercial intercourse of the Pacific coast with Asia will be large. San Francisco, as she looks toward the sunset, will for ages yet confront more than half the population of the world. The great port of Asiatic commerce with the United States will be at San Francisco. The relations of that port to Asia will be, therefore, matters not only of municipal and state importance, but of national and international importance. In determining what these relations shall be, New York and Boston and Chicago, together with Canton, Shanghai and Pekin, having great interests at stake, will claim a right to be heard as well as San Francisco. The students which the Chinese government educates in the United States; the embassies which China sends to Occidental nations, and the emigrants who return to her shores, will acquaint China with American and European political, industrial, educational and religious ideas and customs. Railways and telegraphs and manufactories will be introduced into China and produce an industrial regeneration of eastern Asia. Schools, newspapers and libraries, like those of western nations, will be introduced, and produce an educational regeneration. The astonishing political, industrial and educational changes which have already taken place in Japan by her imitation of occidental customs will hasten similar changes in China. The industrial and educational regeneration of China will afford improved opportunity for its political and religious regeneration. *Joseph Cook.*

Italian Carnival Reminiscences.

The story of the Corso during its carnival days, especially, would give us many a delectable bit of historical gossip. For instance, there is the droll story of how that masterful woman Donna Olimpia Maidalchini, the ancestress of the Doria Pamfili familli, sat at her window enjoying the carnival of 1650, and when her son passed by with his pretty bride, the Princess de Rossano, all the world noticed that the mother turned her head angrily away and would not speak to them. And that other comical incident of the Constable and Connestabile Colonna when they were driving through the Corso on one of the carnival days, the Thursday *gras* of 1749. A masked man in rich costume, very elegant in person, leaped into the carriage, and exasperated the Constable, who was notorious for his jealousy, by kissing the Connestabile and biting her pretty ear playfully. The rage of the husband was all the greater because his wife took these liberties in good part and was very merry with the masker. The constable made a public scene, tore off the cavalier's mask, and challenged him to a personal combat, nor was his anger appeased when the masked man proved to be his wife's brother, the gay, handsome French ambassador, Duc de Nivernais, he who built the Palazzo Salviati opposite the Doria Palace in the Corso. The poor Princess or Connestabile Colonna, whose whole married existence was made miserable by her tiresome husband's endless jealousies, was that clever niece of Cardinal Mazarin, Marie Marcini, who hoped to be queen of France. Her celebrated reproach to her royal lover is always remembered when we look at her charming spirituelle portrait in the Colonna Gallery, Rome "You are king! You love me! and yet you let them send me away!" This celebrated woman, who was brought up in grandeur, who was so near possessing a throne, fled from her husband in 1672, and led a wandering life for many years. Her husband had sufficient political power to prevent her being at peace in any place. He had her imprisoned in convents, made her life a burden, then, when he died, in 1680, left an humble demand for her pardon in his will! She disappeared from notice some time afterwards, and no one knows where or how the once lovely, prosperous Princess Mancini Colonna died. You see how rich in suggestions, in historical anecdotes of celebrated men and women, a monograph upon the Corso carnival would be.

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CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE.

WHEREAS, The Crystal Park and Pike's Peak Wagon and Trail Company did, on the 21st day of August, 1879, make and execute its chattel mortgage to J. F. Humphrey, upon the Crystal City and Pike's Peak Wagon and Trail Road, with all its rights, privileges and franchises, to secure the payment of its note of that date, made to said Humphrey, for the sum of $250, payable six months after date, with interest at one and one-half per cent per month. And, whereas, said company subsequently, on the 6th day of October, 1879, made and executed to the said Humphrey another chattel mortgage upon the same property, to secure its note of the latter date, to the said Humphrey, for the sum of $467 87, payable two and a half months after date, with interest at the same rate as above; And, whereas, the said Humphrey duly assigned said notes to the undersigned. And, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said notes, and the interest thereon, I have taken possession of all of the said property mentioned in said mortgages. Notice is hereby given that I shall, at the hour of 11 o'clock a.m., of Saturday, the 6th day of March, 1880, sell at public auction, at the north end of said road, the property mentioned in said mortgages, to wit: The Crystal City and Pike's Peak Wagon and Trail Road, with all its rights, privileges, and franchises, to the highest and best bidder for cash, and shall apply the proceeds thereof in the payment or part payment of said notes.

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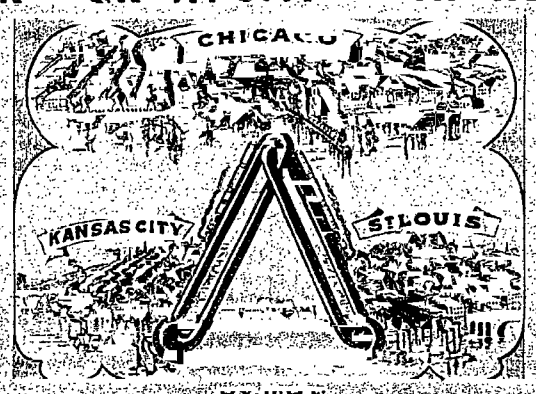

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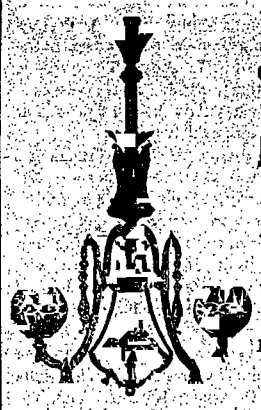

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E. N. BARTLETT,
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Official Paper of the City and County.

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Contents of the Weekly Gazette.

The WEEKLY GAZETTE which appears this morning presents an interesting table of contents.

The first page is devoted to miscellany, opening with a rhymed *resume* of the rules of modern whist, which is followed by some "Unconsidered Trifles" from the New York *World*. There is an interesting article on "Perils of Battle," a description of a quiet little game of euchre between the Colonel and his wife, something about the Battle of the Baltic and the particulars of a kissing match.

There is a full telegraphic page, containing the latest news from the new and old world.

Among the editorials will be found a discussion on "Breaking the Machine," and some remarks concerning Governor Pitkin Interviewed." There are also a large number of editorial notes upon the questions of the day, both at home and abroad.

In the local department will be found an article on "Rosita's Riches," the particulars of the accidental shooting of Mr. J. F. Hamblin, something about a wonderful invention for the discovery of carbonate, comments on the report of the First National bank of Colorado Springs, several valuable articles on the late fall in Little Pittsburg stock and the real estate transfers to date. There is a letter from an occasional correspondent of the GAZETTE, and in addition a large number of articles on local topics, which will be of interest. The list is too extended to give in full.

Wild ducks are now being shot by our sportsmen.

The Colored Colorado Amateur Minstrels will occupy the stage of Court House Hall to night.

The Rev. W. L. Slutz will lead the noon prayer meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms to day. Topic, "The Sunday School Lesson."

The Reverend Mr. Paddock, of Chicago, the newly elected pastor of the Congregational church, is on his way to Leadville. He has purchased an organ, seats, windows, etc., for the church, which will also arrive in Leadville in a few days.

The laying of a gas main along Pike's Peak avenue, in front of the Cowell block, yesterday, caused some people to think that the injunction obtained by the Colorado Springs Company had been dissolved, and that the water pipe was being prospected for.

"Let me look at a revolver," said a man who walked into a store at Sandstone, Mo., and a weapon was shown to him. "Show me the cartridge," he added, as he carelessly loaded one of the chambers. "Excuse me for using this a minute," he further remarked, and shot himself through the brain. Some men have a great deal of cheek.

Personal.

Mr. J. E. Boss, of Rosita, is registered at the Springs Hotel.

Col. Henry Allen, of Denver, is registered at the National.

We regret to learn that Mr. N. F. Clary, while on his return from this city to Leadville, was taken sick at Denver with pneumonia, and is now dangerously ill.

Mr. Charles Siedler, ex-mayor of Jersey City, accompanied by his wife is visiting Colorado on a pleasure trip. Mr. Siedler and wife are guests of the National Hotel.

Mr. Ed. Alexander, of the firm of Russell & Alexander, contractors, paid this city a flying visit yesterday, and then returned to Pueblo, where he is putting in water works.

The Rev. C. C. Creagon, who has recently been appointed to the position left vacant by the death of the Rev. Mr. Pickett, is expected to preach in the Congregational Church to-morrow evening.

Golden Wedding.

On Thursday of this week Deacon Reuben Cone and wife, who live three miles south of town, observed their golden wedding. They were married fifty years ago in Morristown, St. Lawrence county, New York. They soon emigrated to western New York. In 1836 they, with several other families, emigrated to the extreme west and started the town of Geneseo, Ill. One of the first things the new settlers did was to organize a county temperance society and for many years no liquor was sold in Geneseo. They also started a church which is now one of the largest in Illinois.

In 1862 Deacon Cone removed to Kansas, and a few years ago came to Colorado. Since he left Connecticut in boyhood he has "gone west" five times, a little further each time. His only surviving children three sons—are living in or near Colorado Springs. Many friends congratulate the aged couple on the completion of fifty years of married life.

Some Leadville Mines.

We find the following concerning some well known Leadville mines in the *Democrat*: "The Evening Star mine has just commenced a resumption of the shipments which have been stopped during the past two months by other work going on. Though not under full headway, the mine is now in operation to mine and hoist to something like its full capacity. Both the old workings and the new are in good shape with fine hoisting facilities and of more importance ate in large bodies of ore. It is supposed only the ore in the bins which has necessarily accumulated during the work of development is now being shipped in order to make space for the new which is to replace it.

The Morning Star consolidation may change hands any moment, but as negotiations have been pending in New York for the past month there does not seem to be any great hurry on either side to buy or sell. It is supposed to be a large figure the owners are asking, but certainly they can as well afford to hold and work the property as anybody else, and if the price is correctly reported, it is considered very reasonable here. The mines in the consolidation are shipping regularly, as their ore is in such demand by the smelters for the heavy percentage of lead contained, besides the high grade silver, that they cannot afford or be allowed to let up, whatever change of ownership may be pending. Still the ore mostly comes from the exploratory work going on in the mines, so that the reserves blocked out and left are enormous. For the amount of opening no more valuable mines are to be seen around Leadville.

The Glass Pendery Consolidation has likewise resumed work which was stopped principally from the lack of water (by the pipes freezing up) to supply their engines. The last few days' warmth, besides the artificial means used, has had a tendency to thaw out the mains, but still they do not work well or is the flow altogether regular. All over Carbonate Hill snow tanks are constructed, into which steam escape pipes are run for the purpose of supplying the boilers and for other purposes also. It is however very unsatisfactory and very costly, though no better can be expected before warm weather.

Since the Catalpha has been listed on the eastern stock boards and about got all of its improvements finished, it is expected to justify the confidence shown in it by the operators and commence shortly to out put some of its valuable contents, which have been partially measured but not mined.

A Handsome Hall.

The new drop curtain for the stage of Court House Hall was completed yesterday. The design by Mr. Ainsworth Brown is really artistic and the painting by Mr. Krague is exceedingly well done. The landscape which occupied the centre of the curtain as it was originally designed has been left intact, but the representation of a handsome gilt frame has been painted around it, the back ground simulates a frescoed wall and upon either side depend in graceful folds elegant curtains caught back by gilt bands to veined marble pillars. The top of the curtain represents a crimson lambrequin with deep gold fringe. In the centre of the upper panel of the stage is an excellent head of Shakespeare surrounded by scroll work, and upon the right and left pannels are two allegorical female figures representing Music and Tragedy. The artistic work upon the portrait of Shakespeare and the two classically draped figures is of a high degree of excellence.

There is a degree of local interest attached to the ideal representations of Music and Tragedy as the faces are said to be portraits of two handsome young ladies of Colorado Springs. The doors of the hall will be open to-day, and any person who may wish to view the curtain are invited to step into the hall at any hour during the day.

The improved appearance of the stage and auditorium is very striking. The walls have been freshly kalsomined and the wood work painted, silver plated picture nails have been placed at regular distances in appropriate places, and there is now no necessity for marring the walls by driving common nails into the plaster to support any decorations that are to be put in position. The hall is as thoroughly lighted as any in the state, and with the remodelled stage, presents a very handsome appearance.

Reaching Towards the South.

The Denver *Tribune* speaks as follows concerning the southern extension of the Denver and Rio Grande railway: "A large number of workmen are now engaged pushing the San Juan extension of the Denver and Rio Grande road. The grading is completed as far as Conejos and the track is being put down at the rate of a mile a day. About ten miles of railing has already been completed and ere many days elapse the iron horse will be stabled in the village of Conejos. From that point it will push on to the San Juan country, according to the schedule heretofore published. When Conejos is once reached, Denver may, if she will, enjoy the great benefit from the extension. Four miles back of this is one of the finest lumber regions on the continent. This is an important consideration, when we consider that a greater portion of the lumber used in building in Denver and other points throughout the state is shipped all the way from Chicago. With the Denver and Rio Grande completed to Conejos, there will no longer be any need of our going so far from home to get building material, and one of our numerous pine forest can be made to do service in building houses for our people to live in. Conejos bids fair to soon become an important and lively place.

Criticising a Clergyman's Lectures.

The Rev. Mr. Claggett, of Leadville, is now in the east lecturing on the carbonate camp. The Leadville newspapers do not like the character of these lectures. The *Democrat* says: "His congregation will hardly be prepared to credit some of the statements that are given to Mr. Claggett in the report of his lectures. While in St. Louis he delivered his lecture on Leadville at the Young Men's Christian Association hall to what the St. Louis *Times* called "a fair audience." The same paper credits Mr. Claggett in a column report with the following sentiments,

"When a man 'strikes it rich' the first thing he does is to buy a diamond, which he sends east to some one. Soon after, the local papers chronicle the arrival of a handsome young lady at some hotel and the marriage which follows."

"Every one on first arrival has the mountain fever, whose symptoms are a terrible headache, parched lips and awful home sickness, which makes him wish he was a thousand miles from Leadville."

"No use saying that you will swear off drinking. You can't swear off where there is more whisky imbibed than anywhere else in the civilized world."

"Leadville has a side whose darkness is deep and damning. In its streets can be found more outcast women than in any city in the world, many of whom show plainly that they were once ladies of culture and refinement. Hardly a day passes in which there is not a suicide, principally among these poor creatures."

"There are saloons by the thousands vile cesspools of iniquity, with their adjuncts of dance-hall and gambling tables, mingled in which men, women and boys give free rein to passion and lust. The variety theatres, of which there are three or four, are the curse of the city, the shows being most immoral."

"The city officials are in collusion with the violators of the law and secretly license the illegal and immoral shows and other vicious resorts."

"One of the highest officials spends most of his time in a dance hall, and the acting mayor keeps a saloon."

Commenting on the above extracts from Mr. Claggett's lecture, the *Democrat* says: "A perusal of them would lead to the belief that Mr. Claggett leaned rather to the sensational side of the picture. Such lectures do not do Leadville any good. In fact the city is immensely harmed by them. They give to the outside world an impression of things as they do not exist and people come here with an idea that the place is not fit for respectable people to live in. This impression is an insult to the hundreds of ladies who make Leadville their home and who are here with their husbands and children to find a permanent residence. The practical information about the camp and which would be mutually beneficial to the city and to those who hear it, is not touched upon in the lecture. Mr. Claggett has either been misrepresented in the reports of his lecture or else he has misrepresented Leadville. If the latter is true, it would pay his congregation far better to have him discontinue those lectures and embark on some other theme where the disposition to romance is not so strong, and is not attended with such bad results."

Arable Lands of La Plata County.

The agricultural resources of La Plata county, Colorado, are discussed as follows in the *Southwest*: "But few persons, excepting those who have visited and traveled over the region of country tributary to Animas City, are aware of our agricultural resources. To those on the outside, this country is depicted as a bleak, sterile and mountainous region, valuable, only for its vast mineral resources and excellent pine timber; whereas, the fact is that there are thousands upon thousands of acres of very valuable agricultural lands in this vicinity.

These lands are, for the most part, on the Mancos, Dolores, La Plata, Animas, Florida and Los Pinos, and all within from one to thirty miles of Animas City.

They will produce in great abundance all the small grains and vegetables. Indeed, there cannot be found in the state of Colorado any lands more productive or susceptible of economical cultivation.

They could not possibly be situated more favorably than they are, to insure plentiful and cheap irrigation, for scarce a tract of land can be found that does not lie immediately below an abundant and perennial supply of water.

We have said there are thousands upon thousands of these lands—say, perhaps, 60,000 or 70,000 acres. But the fact that the number of acres is so small, comparatively, is one of the chief elements constituting their immense value; for it is well known that after you get twenty miles north of Animas City the whole country above is totally unproductive. Therefore, Silverton, with its numerous and popular camps every year becoming more populous Poughkeppsie gulch, Howardsville, Cunningham gulch, Eureka, Animas Forks, and the many camps in and around all of them will inevitably look to this region for their supplies. The same may be said of the Junction Creek, Needle Mountain and other camps in the vicinity.

It is, therefore, absolutely certain that all the produce raised in this region, will command very high prices; and that the demand will continually and rapidly increase.

The altitude here is not over from 5,000 to 6,000 feet, giving us a mild and regular climate. There is no healthier country anywhere, and there are few pleasanter regions to reside in. This has been a very extraordinary and unprecedented winter and yet we here had only eighteen inches of snow as against six feet at Silverton. These lands can now be procured at very low prices, and can be made more remunerative than lands which will cost one hundred or one hundred and fifty dollars an acre in the older states.

OUT WEST.

A circus is to be opened in Leadville by the middle of May.

All the timber and other government lands within three miles of Twin Lakes has been taken up during the present winter.

Aspen City is the only one of the many thriving mining settlements that will be dotted over the Gunnison and Eagle River countries before fall.

When some men desire the absence of some other men in the carbonate camp, they sit down and write him a vigilantee's warning to leave town within a certain number of days.

Work on the steel works in South Pueblo, is progressing. A side track is being constructed to the site for the convenience of unloading the material. Large quantities of rock are being quarried and blast furnaces will soon be in operation.

Travel on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe is very heavy. The passenger train which arrived in Pueblo Thursday, pulled out of Kansas City in two sections, sixteen coaches in all. There were nine coaches at La Junta and seven at Pueblo. The emigration has set in in earnest.

A Pueblo exchange says: "Boring at the oil well continues but slowly now, owing to the flow of water. The drill has reached thirteen hundred and eighty feet and is still in shale. The superintendent expects to strike the third sand, which contains the oil, within the next fifty or one hundred feet.

The following looks at first sight like poetry, but it is only a local item from a Leadville newspaper:

A. Thomas, d., fined $15.
John Edwards, d., fined $15.
John Fox, d., fined $15.
W. E. Shaw, d., fined $15.
John Murphy, d., fined $15.
A. P. Oliver, d., fined $15.
W. T. Rogers, d., fined $15.

He was trying to find a man in the far West. A female came to the door. She said she didn't know, but Squire Roberts, who lived half a mile off, and was "a very smart man," could tell where the individual lived. The Squire was hunted up, and with his shirt collar open, his spectacles on top of his head, and his pantaloons in his boots, made his appearance at the door. "Squire Roberts," said Jesse, "can you tell me where William Humphrey lives?" "I kin," said the Squire, in a self-congratulatory manner that indicated that he was able to answer the question, and proceeded: "If he are, what I anticipate he are, he are forty miles distant on Peter creek. Although his residence are exclusively adjacent to mine, I know nothing of his wharfores or his whichabouts."

Hotel Arrivals.

COLORADO SPRINGS. S W Bradstreet, Rochester, N Y; J B Rose, Chicago; John S Hickey, Chicago; J C Neffort, St Louis; W B Hull, Leadville; M Strauss, St Louis; Mort Alger, Fort Dodge, Iowa; Wm Ayer, Chicago; W M Hammitt, Omaha; J C Wagner and wife, Alton, Ill; Jos E Boss, Rosita; W W Gibson, New York; S M Barrard, San R.

NATIONAL. C W Barker, Manitou Springs; T P Hull, Blakely Mills; T D Thomas, Blakely Mills; Mrs. Etta Blakely, Blakely Mills; Henry Allen, Denver; C E Stagg, Stratford, Connecticut; E H Moore, New York; Charles Siedler, Jersey City, N J; P. A. Martin, ranch; M D Gallaway, ranch.

Business Locals.

Ten cents per line for first insertion; five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Advertisements to go in every other day, or on certain days of the week only, ten cents per line for each insertion.

Corn fed beef at Peck & Farrar's market. c 6 3

BEST BARB WIRE
In the market. Write W. J. Kinsey, Denver, for prices. c 3 1m

The carpet war has commenced and parties will find it to their interest to examine our stock before purchasing.
c 3tf. MONK & INGALSBE.

NOTICE.
Capt. Jas. Benedict has an interest in my Fire Insurance business, to date from February 25. CHAS. HALLOWELL.
Colorado Springs, March 3, 1880.
c 3 tf

The finest line of Clothing in the city is at No. 25 Huerfano street. c 6 tf

A meeting of the stockholders of the Clover Irrigating Ditch Company will be held at the residence of John Curr, Colorado Springs, on Tuesday, the 16th day of March, at 3 p. m.
1 JOHN CURR.

Fresh arrival of chickens and oysters in cans at Peck & Farrar's market to-day.
c-6-1

Hooker's Saturday Specialties:
Curtice Brother's fruits.
Mefford's Dried Apricots and Grapes.
California Peeled Dried Peaches.
Cucumber and mixed Pickles in bulk.
Very fine Breakfast Bacon.
Superior Sugar Cured Hams.
Hecker's Griddle Cake Flour.
Oranges, Nuts and Raisins.
Select Oysters, 55 cents per can.
Akron, Ohio, Oat Meal.
Dried Beef chipped very thin.
New York Fall Cream Cheese.
Goods in transit:
Stuffed Mangoes, Finnin Haddies, Pretzels and Pilot Bread. 1.

Remember that the Colorado Amateurs appear to-night in Court House hall and are the first to enjoy the new decorations. 1.

THE HAYDEN FIRE KINDLER.
Sold singly or by the box. Saves much trouble and alway at hand for immediate use. Find them on sale at Hooker's.
c 6 2.

MONEY SAVED,
By buying your goods at No. 25 Huerfano street. c 6 tf

The Colored Colorado Amateur Minstrels, playing to Reynolds' and Madden's benefit, will appear in Court House Hall next Saturday night. c 4 3

MINTONS TILES
Fine Assortment at A. Brown's.

A competent watchmaker at Allen's. b 15 tf

WALL PAPERS
New Styles at A. Brown's.

Export Bottled Beer, $11.00 per barrel; $1.25 per dozen; 10 d. pints or 6 d. quarts. F. Herman, Manitou, Col. 8 29 tf

LAWN GRASS.
Central Park, N. Y., mixture. A superior article for the Springs. To be had at Hooker's grocery. b 26 tf

DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS,
At actual cost, to close them out, at D. W. Robbins'. c 6 tf

PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, &c.,
At A. Brown's.

S. B. Westerfield, undertaker, will give prompt attention, to night or day orders. Rooms in Hodgman block, Huerfano street, Colorado Springs. 7 8 tf

FURNITURE.
The largest stock in the city at
9 21 tf S. B. WESTERFIELD'S.

Special attention paid to ordered work and jobbing at lowest cash prices at Allen's, manufacturing jeweler. b 29 tf

WINDOW SHADES AND FIXTURES.
Complete stock at A. BROWN'S.

BOOTS AND SHOES,
Extra cheap, for the next 30 days, at D. W. Robbins'. c 6 tf

Converse, licensed pawnbroker.

Very fine Japan Tea for fifty cents a pound at Sherman's. a 30 tf

M. C. Wilbur has returned with two carloads of horses and mules. Some fine drivers, good saddlers and good workers. They will be found at the Avenue Stables.
12 20 tf

Watches, clocks and jewelry thoroughly and economically repaired at Allen's.
b 15 tf

BLANKETS AND TRUNKS.
A large stock of the above goods just received at D. W. Robbins'. c 6 tf

BEST BARB WIRE
In the market. Write W. J. Kinsey, Denver, for prices. c 3 1m

COLORADO SPRINGS
MATTRESS FACTORY.

All kinds of upholstering, repairing, and cabinet work done at lowest prices. Call at shop, opposite National Hotel, on South Tejon street. Orders left for upholstering at S. B. Westerfield's and W. W. Rollet's will receive prompt attention. LOUIS L. RUMPF.
1 1 4

WANTED.

WANTED—Proposals for enlarging the Clover Irrigating Ditch Company's Ditch; also building about 200 feet of flumes.
c 6 1 JOHN CURR.

WANTED. Six or eight passengers to Buena Vista. Start March 9th or 10th. Address post office box 472. c 5 3

WANTED.—Large, clean rags at this office.

WANTED. To trade a new buggy and harness for a good team of work horses or mules. Must be large animals. Apply to Courter & Woodring. b 17 tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT.—Furnished house of four rooms in first class location. M. L. De Coursey, real estate agent. c 5 tf

FOR RENT.—A furnished cottage of five or six rooms. Apply at No. 5, Cascade Terrace. c 4 tf

FOR RENT AT MANITOU.—Two furnished and one unfurnished cottages in Ermerin's Row. Terms reasonable. Apply to Dr. J. H. Tindale, on the premises. c 2 12

FOR RENT.—Furnished house of six rooms in an excellent location. Barn, trees, lawn, fountain in front of house. M. L. De Coursey, real estate agent. b 22 tf

FOR RENT. Or will sell, two story house and three acres of ground, near reservoir. One half acre fenced. House has five rooms, pantry, cupboards, and good cellar. M. L. De Coursey, real estate agent. b 17 tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE. Story and a half house, containing eight rooms, pantry and closet. Lot 100x190. Barn and stables on lot. Desirable location. Terms easy. Enquire of Mrs. Lewis Hager. 2 15 tf

FOR SALE. *To Close an Estate.*—Lot 1, block 11, 100x190 feet, corner, on North Cascade avenue.

Also, lot 1, block 43, 50x190 feet, corner, on North Nevada avenue.

Also, lot 3, block 12, 100x190 feet, on North Tejon street, with six room house, cellar, city water.

Also, the north store of the National Hotel building, on Tejon street, together with the apartments over it in the second story.

The above are bargains. Apply early to M. L. De Coursey, real estate agent. c 2 tf

FOR SALE.—Cheap lots on East Pike's Peak avenue.
Cheap lots on East Huerfano street.
Cheap lots in south part of town.
Cheap lots in Young's Addition.
Cheap lots in Parrish's Addition.
Cheap lots in Emerson's Addition.
Cheap lots in Kimball's Addition.
Cheap lots in Bristol's Addition, near the College.
Two fine lots on Tejon street, in block 61.
Two fine lots on Tejon street, in block 51.
Large corner lots in north end of town.
One acre, five acre, six acre, and ten acre lots.
Lot on Cascade avenue, adjoining Sanders' livery stable. *A bargain.*
Desirable garden tracts.
Desirable ranches close to town.
A beautiful residence at Manitou.
The best business lots on Pike's Peak avenue and Huerfano street.
House of three rooms for $500.
House of three rooms for $600.
House of three rooms for $825.
House of four rooms for $1,000.
House of two rooms for $1,100.
House of three rooms for $1,200.
House of five rooms for $1,250.
House of six rooms for $1,400.
House of eight rooms for $1,575.
House of seven rooms for $1,900.
House of six rooms for $2,500.
House of seven rooms for $2,500.
House of 6 rooms for $2 650.
House of ten rooms for $2,700.
House of six room for $3,000.
House of eight rooms, for $3,150.
House of eight rooms for $4,200.
House of six rooms, furnished, for $4,000.
House of three rooms and five acres of land $1,250.
House of five rooms and three acres of land $1,350.
House of six rooms and seven and one half acres of land $1,600.
Desirable residences all over town.
Lot on Pike's Peak avenue, next to Kettlewell's butcher shop. A splendid business location.
Lot 21, in block 82, on Pike's Peak avenue, next to Drinkwater's. An excellent business site.
A four acre lot north of the College, adjoining the lots of the North End Improvement Company. A bargain, if sold soon.
House on Pike's Peak avenue, on lot 95x190 feet; eight rooms, three closets, summer kitchen, portico, city water, lot fenced. Must be sold soon, at $1,700. *Very cheap.*
I have a few lots on East Pike's Peak avenue, four blocks from post office, facing south, 50 feet front by 200 feet deep, which I will sell cheap to parties who will build.
Garden tract of five acres; close to town under main ditch; fenced; one hundred and fifty fruit trees; with three room house and barn on premises; cheap, easy terms.
Ranch of 160 acres, with one and one half story stone house of 4 rooms, stone corral and spring house, numerous springs of water and good range for cattle. Only 3 miles from Colorado Springs. $1,000 if sold soon, *or will exchange for city property.*
New house on Weber street, below Cucharas. Two stories; seven rooms, all large, and with high ceilings; six large closets; pantry; low down grates; slate mantels; good barn; six hundred strawberry plants in garden. This property is in perfect condition, and I will sell it *at a great bargain.*
The Riggs ranch, of seventy seven acres, under fence, on the Fountain, close to Colorado Springs, and adjoining Colonel De La Vergne's trout farm. All good land, with house of seven rooms, pantry, and closets, and cellar. Barn for four horses, and room for twelve tons of hay. Wagon shed, carriage house, and hen house. Garden. Fine, living springs of water. *Will be sold at a bargain, if within a week.*
Ranch of one hundred acres adjoining the town of Fountain, all under fence and ditch. Stream of pure water runs through it. Twenty acres of meadow and eighty acres under cultivation; with house of four rooms. Fine grove of old trees runs along the property. Also, lot in Fountain, three hundred yards from ranch, with frame house of four rooms, well finished and plastered; porch around the house. *Cheap, if sold at once.*
Apply to M. L. DeCoursey, real estate agent,
b 12 tf

FOR SALE—Frame house, four rooms, east side South Weber street. Three blocks from post office. Lot 50 x 190. Water, good out buildings, &c.; a bargain, if sold in five days.

Seven roomed house; 50 x 190 feet lot; on North Weber. Cheap.

One of the finest dairy and farm ranches in El Paso county, situated on Cheyenne Creek. Very cheap, if sold soon. Ranch consists of two hundred and forty acres of tillable and hay land, two hundred acres pasture—all under good fence. Forty tons of hay raised on it last year; three and one half acres of timothy. New house, six rooms, New fences. Water in house. Good stable. Hen park, &c. Two valuable independent ditch rights. Strawberries, raspberries, and rhubarb—bearing; large asparagus bed. Some stock with place, if desired. Parties looking for this class of property will do well to see this before buying.
A. L. LAWTON,
b 27 tf Real Estate Agent.

FOR SALE. A span of good horses and light wagon and harness. At a good bargain if sold within the next five days. Apply in person, or through the post office, to R. J. Bruns. c 5 3*

FOR SALE Two large American work mares, both with foal, and six well bred colts. Also, a nearly new combined mower and reaper, or will trade for work mules. May's Ranch, Cheyenne Creek. b 27 tf

FOR SALE. A house containing three good sized rooms, located on Corona street, first house south of Huerfano, west side, facing east. The lot is 37½ x 190, with an alley on north and west. The house is in thorough repair, and the water on the premises. Is renting for $13 per month. Price, $600. Apply to J. M. Bolton, at this office. b 24 tf

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